

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region II - Suite 3100  
101 Marietta Street  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - REFUELING WATER STORAGE TANK  
OVERFLOW LINE NOT FABRICATED TO ASME CODE - NCR 1725R - THIRD  
INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector  
M. Thomas on August 24, 1979, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e).  
Interim reports were submitted on September 24, 1979, and November 29,  
1979. We expect to submit our next report on this nonconformance  
by April 14, 1980.

The repair procedure from Pittsburgh-Des Moines Steel Company required  
to bring the refueling water storage tanks into compliance with the  
ASME Code has not been received by TVA. Following receipt and approval  
of this repair procedure by TVA, a final corrective action statement  
will be completed for this nonconformance report.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch  
with D. L. Lambert at FTS 854-2581.

Very truly yours,

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